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Response to Restriction Requirement

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application No.: 10/812,837
Applicant: Malone
Filed: 03/30/2004
Title: DEVICES AND METHODS FOR FACILITATING
CONTROLLED BONE GROWTH OR REPAIR

Confirmation No.:	3121	Customer No.:	22206
Examiner:	Stewart, Alvin J.	TC/A.U.:	3738

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P. O. Box 1450
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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Dear Sir:

This paper is submitted in response to the Office Action mailed December 27, 2005.

CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.8(a)

I hereby certify that, on the date shown below, this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service in an envelope addressed to: Mail Stop Amendment, Commissioner for Patents, P. O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 with sufficient postage as first class mail by Amy C. Walker.

Date: January 27, 2006

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